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## Hillcrest Observations

John O. Jones, the prominent official of the United Mine Workers of America, was in town last week on business and left for Lethbridge on Wednesday evening.

The committee appointed to act for the annual Christmas Frolic has been busy this week taking subscriptions for that worthy event and from what we can learn they have succeeded in raising upwards of three hundred dollars to be spent in presents for the youngsters of the town. This event is held every Christmas Eve and every child in the parish will receive some little present as an evening entertainment.

Wm. Kilgannon, the well known Pass electrician, was in town last week looking up old friends and acquaintances. Mr. Kilgannon has had the superintending of practically every electrical job of any consequence that has been done between Blairmore and Lethbridge for the last few years and just before his late visit had been connecting up a light and power system for coal company operating in the Pocatohas district. It is with regret we have to announce that he will be leaving for the old country shortly, probably for good.

Wm. O. Towe, B.Sc., at the present time civil engineer for the Hillcrest Collieries, has announced his intention of severing his connection with that company at the end of the present month. All who have become acquainted with this gentleman during the six or eight months he has been holding his present position will be sorry that he is leaving us so soon. As a sportsman of the best variety he has had no equal in town, and has done all in his power the best of football, tennis, baseball and skating clubs since his arrival here last May. Our best wishes accompany him wherever he may go and he is sure of a hearty welcome whenever he chooses to revisit his old stamping ground in the Pittsburg of Canada.

On Tuesday evening last the Orange Lodge of Hillcrest held a social in their hall, a large gathering being present on the occasion of the second anniversary of the inauguration of Lodge 2199 in Hillcrest. Numerous vocal and instrumental solos were given and a dainty supper served during the evening. James Quigley presided over the affair, and the Rev. W. T. Young, and Mr. Baker of Blairmore, all of these speakers being heartily applauded. Mr. Stettin was in great demand with his violin and Mr. Long at the organ. Vocal selections were given by Mrs. Dodd, Miss Taylor and Mr. Quigley. The crowd dispersed at eleven o'clock after a very enjoyable evening's entertainment.

As we expected and mentioned in our last issue, the dance given last Monday evening proved to be one of the biggest successes yet in that line and we are pleased to see that the committee have decided to follow out their original intentions and hold a dance about every week. If they keep up to the standard made last Monday the success of these dances is assured. It might be advisable for the committee, however, to remember that their success depends entirely upon the ladies and that unless the everyday necessities are observed while the ladies are present they stand a chance of losing out no matter what attractions they put on. We refer in particular to the smoking question, but one or two other restrictions might well be made to make these dances more enjoyable to those who go with the intention of spending a pleasant evening dancing.

As we stated last week, and contrary to the information appearing in last week's issue of the Ledger, the committee for the skating rink decided to go ahead with the good work and at the present writing Mr. Whiller has completed more than two thirds of the job. On account of the difficulty experienced in making a twelve foot fence stand up in the well known Hillcrest winds it has been decided to cut off four feet of this and the fence will now be only eight feet in height. Numerous were the solutions offered by the large crop of posthumous prophets as to the disposal of the lumber, while all were certain that the rink was doomed. These who got a bad attack of cold fever are slowly coming round, and by the time the rink is in operation it is expected there will be more ardent supporters of the scheme than there are of that despicable variety of humans, the knocker, at the present time.

Colored Male Octette Coming to Blairmore

On Saturday night of next week the Blairmore opera house will be occupied by W. C. Buckner's Pan-American colored male quartette, which is really the most extraordinary aggregation of negro male voices that has ever visited these parts, reproducing his old-time plantation pastimes together with instrumental extras, classic singing, humorous and solo singing. Each of the company of eight are the most excellent in quality, and the gentlemanly conduct of each has won for them thousands of friends and crowded houses through out their entire 1912 tour. All lovers of the real classic should not fail to attend the opera house on the night of Saturday, December 7th. Prices popular.

It is a pleasure to tell you Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best cough medicine I have ever used," writes Mrs. Hugh Campbell, of Lethbridge. "I have used it with all my children and the results have been highly satisfactory." For sale by all dealers.

## Happenings in and Around Bellevue

Percy Andrews was in town Monday night.

Wallace Raynor is back again on Blais' wagon after his illness.

Mrs. Sam Turner left last week to join her husband at Pocatohas. Tom Shone has moved up from Coleman and will work in No 1 mine.

Miss Perry left for Toronto on Tuesday where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. W. Madison left the town last week to join her husband at Pocatohas.

Daniel Hart has returned from the north and expects to spend the winter in town.

Andrew Godwin received slight injuries to his eye while at his work last week.

Steve Humble is receiving his Christmas goods and his stores taking on a gaudy appearance.

Skating on the lake is splendid and many Bellevueites are enjoying these moonlight nights on Bellevue's natural rink.

Gill Cousins is making favorable progress toward recovery from the results of his accident in the mine. His foot is still giving him considerable pain.

Inquiry comes from Calgary to know if it is true that the town of Hillcrest was nearly wiped off the map in the recent wild storm. Hillcrest is still on the horizon.

Colin McGillivray, late engineer at the mine has accepted a position as engineer at the Electric Light station of Pincher Creek. The family are moving down in a few days.

Rev. W. H. Irwin has been appointed representative from this district to the second World's Christian citizenship convention to be held in Portland, Oregon, June 29th to July 7th 1913.

The Bellevue Barbers Association held a whist drive and dance in the Socialist Hall on Monday night which was largely attended. The Pincher Creek Orchestra provided music for the dancing.

The meeting of the Bellevue Literary and Scientific society on Wednesday night took the form of a mock parliament. W. H. Chapell as premier introduced some very amusing bills which were keenly debated on by the members of the society. The interest in this society is steadily increasing.

At a meeting of the Missionary committee of the Methodist church held in Calgary on Friday last the claims of the Methodist work in the Crow's Nest Pass are presented by Mr. Irwin before the Mission Board in Brantford Ont. recently came up for consideration and a grant of \$6,000.00 was made to promote institutional work at Frank and Bellevue.

At a public meeting held last Friday night it was decided to make the Christmas occasion this year one long to be remembered by the children of the town. Special communication has been established with Santa Claus and instructions have been forwarded that he is to have special regard for the children of Bellevue. A very efficient entertainment committee was appointed under the leadership of David Davidson. A purchasing committee is under the supervision of Mrs. I. Marsh, and things are looking good for the best Christmas Eve held in Bellevue.

Mrs. Livingstone, of Victoria, B.C., lecturer for the W. C. T. U., will speak in the Central Baptist church, Blairmore, on Wednesday evening next, December 4th. At 8 p.m. she will give a purity talk to mothers.

## Happenings in and Around Blairmore

The grievances of the local miners were all adjusted last week and the men have again resumed work.

Walter Wrigley, of Pocatohas, was reviewing old friends in town the early part of the week and returned north Tuesday night.

A. Miller, of Blairmore, has succeeded in getting mine managers' papers, as a result of a recent examination held in British Columbia.

Mr. Dadds, provincial manager of the Imperial Life Insurance Co., and Mrs. Dadds, of Calgary, spent the week at the Sanatorium.

William Evans, Jr., who had been attending the MacL hospital at Rochester, Minnesota, for the past three months, returned home on Sunday last.

A. E. Hamel, formerly of the Alberta Trading Company, Blairmore, but now residing at Victoria, B.C., paid a visit to the Metropolis this week.

Rev. C. B. MacLaren, superintendent of Baptist missions, will preach both morning and evening of Sunday next at the Central Baptist church.

The frost of the past few nights has given the rink managers an opportunity of getting a good foundation to the ice bed, and the rink is about in readiness for business.

W. A. Beebe returned from Macleod Friday night, where he had spent the greater part of a fortnight in attendance at the courts.

A large number of telephonic calls attended to the bell piker at Bellevue Monday night under the services of the householder's Forward Movement. All report having had the time of their lives.

William Kilgannon, electrician, formerly connected with the telephone exchange at Blairmore, but recently installing a light and power system at Pocatohas, paid the Metropolis a friendly visit last week end.

Last week a slight error occurred in our paper in referring to a store being erected near the Sanatorium hotel. It is not Jake Whiller who has the contract, but rather H. J. Pozzi, of Blairmore.

W. Card, of Fernie, has taken a lease of the Blairmore opera house and opens with a good clean and up-to-date moving picture circuit on Monday next. See the opera house ad.

Mayor Lyon, secretary Shera, W. A. Macleod, and councillors McLeod, Sparks, Dutil, Farmer and Sinclair, who had been taking lessons at the Macleod courts, returned to town Friday night.

A meeting of the Crow's Nest Pass hockey league was held in the council chamber on Wednesday afternoon. Pincher Creek, Frank and Blairmore teams at present compose the league. The schedule for the opening of the season will be published next week.

Rev. W. H. Muncester, B. D., of Grassy Lake, will be present at the meeting to be held in the mission hall Friday evening, November 29th. All the members and adherents of the congregation are urgently requested to be present.

On Sunday night at the Wonderland theatre, the Rev. J. F. Hunter gave an address on the Life of Christ, which was illustrated by some thirty lantern slides. A good crowd attended, and the meeting was very interesting, the programme including sacred songs.

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## Happenings in and Around Frank

On Friday night of this week a basket social will be held in the school hall which gives promise of being an enjoyable and successful affair. The proceeds of the social will go towards the funds of the rink and hockey club.

The rink was flooded the early part of the week and with a few nights' frost will be in readiness for the winter recreation. Greater interest is being shown in hockey circles this year than formerly and with the good team at present in sight the neighboring clubs of the hockey league will be going some to get a show for first honors.

Palmer's work is now looking something out of the ordinary, and from the manner in which several business buildings were rushed away out of the danger zone this week it is plain to be seen that Palmer is well posted in the work. The Crows' Nest Pass Hardware Company's furniture store was taken from its original foundation on Tuesday and will be rebounded just west of the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium.

## Passburg Notes

Rev. T. M. Murray, of Coleman, will preach in Passburg and Burns on Sunday next, the 1st of Dec. H. Wyehelley taking Mr. Murray's place at Coleman.

The mines are working steadily with a fair daily output. Many improvements are taking place, which, when spring comes, will see us working at high pressure. Passburg will boom!

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The day school children have now been transferred to their new school building. The school is fitted with modern improvements and is a credit to the town. The building was opened last Monday by Dr. Bell when a concert was given by the children and local talent. Rev. G. H. Wyehelley and Mr. Robertson, the teacher, both delivered addresses.

## Wholesale Cattle Theft

Two young men, named C. H. Brueneau and Harvey Bouthillier, are in the district court at Macleod a week or so ago and elected to be tried before His Honour Judge Crawford on the charge of cattle stealing. The complainant in the case was James Russell. Brueneau pleaded guilty to the charge of having stolen one steer, and sentence was deferred until the charge of stealing six steers also from J. Russell was disposed of.

These cases were interwoven with the wholesale charges of cattle stealing, against a man named Bouthillier, who was also before Judge Crawford and elected to be tried before His Honour. The case was set down for trial on the 21st of November. At that time application was made for bail by his counsel, L. H. Putnam, of Blairmore, but bail bonds were never drawn up as his counsel learnt that as soon as he got him released that the police would re-arrest him on new charges.

The defendants in the cases came from the district of Lundbreck, and great interest is being taken in these cases by practically all those living in that neighborhood.

When the cases are tried in Macleod on Friday next we understand E. P. McNell, of the McNell & Martin, Melend, will appear for Brueneau, and L. H. Putnam, barrister, of Blairmore, for Bouthillier, and William Campbell, crown prosecutor, will take the prosecution.

## Wrestling Match At Bellevue

The big wrestling bout at the Finn hall, Bellevue, on Saturday night was not as largely attended as would be expected, the reason being that such an event was a new launch-out in the sporting arena.

Before the big bout an interesting 10-round boxing preliminary was staged by Freddie Beale, the Quebec star, and Tillie Newing. About 10 p.m. the big wrestlers arrived by the mat, both appearing in good form, except that Hallibre had the advantage over Beale of some 15 or 18 pounds weight.

The handicap of the game was that Hallibre would put Beale to the floor in two clean throws in one hour. After some even struggling for 19 minutes, however, Beale succeeded in getting the upper position with the result that Hallibre's shoulders were brought in contact with the mat for a length of time in which referee Lavitt claimed to have counted "three." At this decision Beale desired that the match be closed, and that he receive his share of 75 per cent. of the gate receipts; but such being unsatisfactory to his opponent who desired that the match go ahead, if only to give those in attendance an exhibition to the value of their money, they decided to continue for another ten minutes, during which time both were very well matched.

## Judgment in Malcolm case

The following is the judgment delivered by Mr. Justice Scott at Macleod in connection with the case of W. A. Malcolm versus the Town of Blairmore:

"I have no doubt that the mayor had reasonable grounds for believing that the claim was presented to this court to this city. The circumstances are such that would reasonably lead him to suspect and to have a very strong suspicion that he was interested. The evidence, to my mind, has cleared that up in this way—it shows that he and his partner were practically mortgagees of the property. Now the owner of the land selling to the corporation must make a clear title. The fact that a member of the Council has a mortgage on his property does not amount to a dealing by the mortgage with the Council. It is merely a matter of conveyancing. He has a lien on the property and the portion of the purchase money may be applied on the lien."

"I have no doubt the mayor's mind was affected by these circumstances and that he was justified in entertaining a very strong suspicion in this transaction, and having resisted the claim of the plaintiff that ground, he must take the responsibility for his acts if he were not able to show that there was anything wrong in purchasing this property. I think upon the authority of that case that was cited—*McNair v. South Dufferin*—the fact that that was adopted in *Hughson v. Dummer* I think I must hold that by law was unnecessary in order to constitute a valid acceptance of the plaintiff's offer, and I must therefore hold that the plaintiff is entitled to specific performance."

Mr. McNell: Does your lordship hold that a seal was unnecessary?

The COURT: No it was not.

Mr. McNell: Neither a by-law nor a seal?

The COURT: Neither a by-law nor a seal.

"I must say that there was something in the transaction which seemed to be entirely against the interests of the corporation when they were getting from the West Canadian people a free site and a nuisance ground, but that is only a suspicion. I cannot find that that was the case—that there was anything dishonest in the acts of those particular councillors or that they were actuated by ulterior motives, and that being the case, I must find in favour of the plaintiff and decree the specific performance of the contract."

The defendant has my sympathy. I think he was perfectly justified in resisting the acts of the members of the Council who favoured this purchase, until he had made full enquiry about it. Whether or not he was satisfied or not, or whether it was equitable for him to obtain the information does not enter into the question at all, because when the action starts he is under the onus to show that he was justified in taking the course he did. I am satisfied he was acting in the interests of the corporation and yet I must give judgment against him; that is how I feel about it."

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Crows' Nest Entertainment was instituted in Blairmore on Wednesday night.

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Frank, Alta., Fri., Nov. 29, 1912

## Directors and Shareholders Meet

A meeting of the directors and shareholders of the Blairmore Brewing and Malting Co. was held at the Brewery Company's office on Saturday afternoon, a large number being in attendance.

The meeting was called for the purpose of receiving a financial statement from the official auditor and to appoint directors and officials for the coming year, but as such report was not complete, the business had to be laid over for another meeting to be called by the directors as soon as such statements are in readiness.

A very encouraging report of the work done so far in connection with building construction and machinery installation was given by Manager Smith. According to the report the plant is now in readiness for operation, the building as it now stands together with the adjoining lands having cost in the neighborhood of \$90,000, while upwards of \$13,000 worth of machinery has been installed.

The plant with its equipment is second to none in the west, and as soon as the malt and other materials necessary arrive and the wheels are set going, it will prove one of the best dividend assurances in the country.

Nearly all the capital stock has been taken up locally, but it is the intention of the Company to place considerable more stock on the market.

## Ratepayers "Wised Up"

(Continued)

question first came up that the mayor was one of the first to endeavor to rush the Malcolm deal through, and that he remarked at that meeting that we were a bit too precious whereupon the mayor replied "We were not. We needed the fire hall site and must have it."

Councillor Dutil would agree with the mayor at that time, but could not see why the mayor refused to abide by the desire of the majority of the Council. He did not think that the fire hall question should be submitted to the people, that the interests of the merchants who had stock and wares in the business section of the town should be afforded the best fire protection service, as under the single tax system the land holder pays the taxes and most of the township was as yet unsettled. He could not see why an investigation was necessary, as he quite agreed that the action of Councillor Sinclair was quite justifiable in connection with the Malcolm deal. The reason the document was not sealed was because the town at that time had no seal. He thought that from the Malcolm lot, with the present equipment of hose and hydrants, we could reach fully two thirds of the business and residential section of the town quite easily. He had no reason to doubt, but that the decision of Justice Scott would be upheld in the court of appeal.

Mayor Kyon said he was not casting a slur at Mr. Malcolm in speaking of bad debts. He felt the Council had no right to grin a recommendation to purchase property in which a member of the council was interested. He would not retract his statement that Malcolm was doing real estate business in the town without a license. He said that if the vote of the councillors called for the building of the fire hall on the

Malcolm site he would resign to submit to a referendum, providing the councillors would do likewise. Councillor Sinclair said that he placed a fence around the ruins of the fire hall in March last, but would not bill the town for same as he did not wish to have the matter thrown up to him.

At the hour of 12:17 the meeting adjourned. Despite the fact of the wild orations of the night, which was without a doubt the greatest flow of eloquence that ever descended from an ordinary pulpit, which at times truly challenged his satanic majesty, all was peaceful and serene.

However, the ratepayers of Blairmore are satisfied in having been enlightened on municipal affairs, and although the transactions of the city fathers were seldom void of heated arguments during the past year, all are satisfied that their works have been accomplished well and that the money of the town have been expended to the advantage of the ratepayer, and that now for a good financial standing Blairmore had to equal in the province. As compared with neighboring towns, our rates are low and with a good interest to derive from our waterworks system in future chances were that in the course of a very short period our rates would be reduced to nil.

## NOTICE

### Town of Blairmore Municipal Elections 1912

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the electors of the TOWN OF BLAIRMORE will be held in the office of the secretary-treasurer on MONDAY, the 2nd DAY of DECEMBER, 1912, from eleven o'clock in the forenoon until twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of COUNCILLORS and for MAYOR for the next ensuing two years. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AT BLAIRMORE this 25th DAY of NOVEMBER, 1912.

W. L. SHERA  
Returning Officer

## NOTICE

### Blairmore School District No. 628, Election 1912

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the electors of the above named school district will be held in the office of the secretary-treasurer of the TOWN OF BLAIRMORE on MONDAY, the 2nd day of DECEMBER, 1912, from the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating TRUSTEES for the BLAIRMORE school district, No. 628, for the next ensuing two years. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AT BLAIRMORE this 25th day of DECEMBER, 1912.

W. L. SHERA  
Returning Officer

In connection with the above, there are three school trustees to be elected, and three councillors for a term of two years and one councillor for one year; also mayor for the next ensuing two years.



Blairmore Lodge, No. 68, meets in their Hall 880 Victoria St., every Tuesday at 8 p.m. Visiting brethren welcome.

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## NOTICE

"SPRING CREEK" Mineral Claim SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.

WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 16, Group 14, in Section 22, Township 8, Range 3, west 5th Meridian.

TAKE NOTICE that J. MARGARET E. GARDNER, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action under section No. 46, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvement.

DATED at Banff, Alberta, this 18th day of October, 1912.

## NOTICE

"BURNIS" Mineral Claim

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"CAVESE" Mineral Claim

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## NOTICE

By virtue of Deed of Sale issued by H. Smith and E. W. Parrish, and to me directed, against H. Parks, trading under the name and style of Coleman Drug Co., I have seized the stock in trade and fixtures of the above-named H. Parks, which I shall expose for sale at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon on Thursday, the 5th day of December, 1912. Sale will continue until the whole of the above stock and fixtures are disposed of. Sale will be held on the premises of the Coleman Drug Store.

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### Financial Statement Town of Blairmore

The following is the statement of assets and liabilities of the Town of Blairmore as at October 31st, 1912.

ASSETS	
Railway Crossing	\$ 20.00
Sidewalks construction	100.65
Office Furniture	101.40
Waterworks construction	50,747.04
Fire equipment	1,207.65
Police supplies	61.65
1911 Taxes arrears	2,746.71
1912 Taxes unpaid	10,700.00
Water accounts receivable	222.50
Street lamps	240.00
Estimated deficit according to books	1,421.68
Total	\$67,789.50
LIABILITIES	
Cash on hand	\$ 4,063.79
Accounts payable	15,751.01
Debitures	45,000.00
Accrued interest on debentures	2,062.50
Total	\$67,789.50

Statement of receipts and expenditures from October 1st, 1911 (date of incorporation) to 31st October, 1912.

RECEIPTS	
Current Account—	
1911 Taxes	\$1,788.81
1912 "	675.18
Dog "	306.00
Poll "	631.50
Fines	667.50
Pound "	1.00
Licenses	1,572.35
Accrued interest on debentures	332.25
Interest on savings account	19.08
Water accounts received	1,427.25
Charity	42.00
Total	\$7,448.27

CAPITAL ACCOUNT—	
Debiture monies	\$42,300.00
Notes discounted	17,000.00
Savings account withdrawn	7,651.35
Cash overdraft Oct. 31, 1912	4,987.79
Total	\$80,239.39

Payments Current Account—	
Works and Property	
Sidewalk repairs	\$348.00
Street maintenance	211.80
Repairs to buildings	4.95
Bridge repairs	21.50

License and Police	
Salaries	\$65.00
Expenses	21.20
Health and Relief	
Charity	153.45
Expenses	3.00

Fire and Light	
Street lighting	450.50
Firemen's wages	241.50
Expenses	3.25

Waterworks	
General repairs	23.50
Repairs connections	108.15
Sundries	13.00
Finance	
Salaries	926.15
Printing and Stationery	317.25
Interest and discount	171.05
Election expenses	101.65
Office and general	729.80
Village deficit	1,365.42
Total	\$6,012.20

CAPITAL	
Waterworks construction	\$42,300.00
Fire equipment	1,207.65
Railway crossing	20.00
Sidewalk construction	100.65
Office Furniture	101.40
Waterworks tools	13.85
Police supplies	61.65
Notes unpaid	17,000.00
Street lamps	240.00
Savings account	7,651.35
Cash overdraft 10th October, 1912	11,395.34
Total	\$80,239.39

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### NOTICE

"SUNSHINE" Mineral Claim  
SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.  
WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 14, Group 14, in Section 2, Township 8, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.  
TAKE NOTICE that I, AUGUST CARNEY, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.  
AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under section No. 46, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvement.  
DATED at Burnaby, Alberta, this 11th day of October, 1912.

### NOTICE

"FRANKIE" Mineral Claim  
SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.  
WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 13, Group 14, in Sections 25 and 26, Township 7, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.  
TAKE NOTICE that I, WALTER GARDNER, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.  
AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under section No. 46, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvement.  
DATED at Burnaby, Alberta, this 11th day of October, 1912.

### NOTICE

"CRAZY HORSE" Mineral Claim  
SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.  
WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 11, Group 14, in Sections 24 and 25, Township 7, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.  
TAKE NOTICE that I, WALTER GARDNER, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.  
AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under section No. 46, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvement.  
DATED at Burnaby, Alberta, this 11th day of October, 1912.

### NOTICE

"SCRUB FIR" Mineral Claim  
SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.  
WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 22, Group 14, in Section 24, Township 8, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.  
TAKE NOTICE that I, MARGARET E. GARDNER, Administratrix of the estate of Charles A. Gardner, deceased, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.  
AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that action, under section No. 46, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvement.  
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SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion Lands District.  
WHERE LOCATED:—Lot 15, Group 14, in Sections 14 and 15, Township 8, Range 3, West 5th Meridian.  
TAKE NOTICE that I, WALTER GARDNER, intend sixty days from the date hereof to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvement for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.  
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new. It is not  
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Johnny - By the stomach-ache.

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upon the whole system. Becham's  
Pills do what they say - they act  
in accordance with their great  
reputation; mildly and safely but  
quickly. In every way - in feel-  
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## MATCHMAKING IN GERMANY

Newspaper Announcements are Popu-  
lar in Germany. Marriage in Ger-  
many is a business. Cupid's  
arrows find expression through the busi-  
ness cunning of the marriage broker  
and pounds, shillings and pence play  
a very important part in the joining  
of two hearts. Fraud and misrepresen-  
tation are naturally a necessary  
outcome; hardly a day passes but  
some Cupid is arrested for obtaining  
money fraudulently in attempting to  
make one heart of two and thereby  
increase his income.

The decidedly practical character of  
the marriage transactions may be  
seen in the Sunday newspapers.  
display advertisements are quite com-  
mon. Here is one that is heavily  
bordered, somewhat in the style of  
death notices: Cultured gentleman is  
offered opportunity to marry into lu-  
crative Berlin laundry machine factory.  
In another advertisement a man con-  
fesses to being physically defective,  
but continues: As only like and like  
can be enduringly happy, I desire a  
wife who has a similar physical afflic-  
tion. Artificial leg not excluded.  
Give age, description, and a history of  
the defect. A young man, mechani-  
cally inclined, sought the adver-  
tising columns for a wife with artificial  
leg and some means.

The advertisements usually cover  
two pages of a Sunday issue. They  
are frank in giving motives and fixing  
qualifications, and freely disclose phys-  
ical or even moral defects. An  
advertiser urgently desiring of taking  
unto himself a spouse closes his per-  
sonal notice with: Widows and  
divorced women not excluded.

**Trial is Expensive.** - To those who  
suffer from dyspepsia, indigestion,  
rheumatism, or any ailment arising  
from derangement of the digestive  
system, a trial of Parmelee's Vege-  
table Pills is recommended, should the  
sufferer be unacquainted with them.  
The trial will be inexpensive and the  
result will be another customer for  
this excellent medicine. So effective  
is its action that many cures can  
be traced to their use where other  
pills have proved ineffective.

**Good Posts in the Civil Service**  
With the view of supplying the  
Civil Service of the Straits Settlement  
and Federated Malay States, cadet-  
ships have been established, the hold-  
ers of which are required to devote  
themselves for a certain time after  
their arrival in the East to learning  
a native language. The Cadets, who  
must be natural-born British subjects,  
are selected by open competitive ex-  
amination held by the Civil Service  
Commissioners, to whom all inquiries  
on the subject should be addressed.

The examination for these appoin-  
tments is, as a rule, held in the  
month of August, and those years in  
which vacancies occur simultaneously  
with the examination for the Civil  
Service in India. Candidates must  
be between the ages of twenty-two  
and twenty-four on the first day of  
August in the year in which the ex-  
amination is held.

The selected candidates are expected  
to leave England immediately after  
they have been finally selected for  
appointment.  
Each candidate receives salary at  
the rate of \$1250 per annum, half salary  
to commence from the day of leav-  
ing England, and the other half from  
the day of his arrival in the colony or  
State to which he may be sent. Can-  
didates are provided with free furnished  
quarters. A free passage to the colony  
or State is provided for the cadet  
subject to the condition that he will  
be bound to return to the colony or  
State at the expiration of his term of  
service.

**An Income From Mushrooms**  
In many countries the mushroom is  
a decidedly valuable product. We  
usually think of raising them in cellars  
or other dark places, and hardly  
picture them as growing in any other  
spot; yet the Japanese method is as  
peculiar as it is interesting, for with  
very species, known as Chitake, experi-  
ments have been made of growing  
them in trees.

The trees used are oak from twenty-  
five to thirty years of age. They  
are cut down in the autumn, and at  
intervals of six or eight, gashes are  
made with an axe all up and down the  
trunk. The trees are then hauled to  
little freestone parts of the forest  
and left there.

At the end of three years mush-  
rooms appear in the incisions, and  
furnish a crop which lasts the year  
round, those of the autumn being the  
most valuable.

This method of raising mushrooms  
is probably the least troublesome in  
the entire world. What a vast differ-  
ence between this way of doing the  
work and the method used in under-  
ground Paris and elsewhere, where  
the people who attend to the culti-  
vation of the mushrooms live in a lit-  
tle world of their own and seldom see  
daylight from week's end to another.

**Not Accepted**  
A tale of professional story-tellers  
was in a cosy corner of the club.  
The tale was told in a low, soft voice,  
a most unbelievable story, and the  
other two listened at each other ques-  
tioning.

Well, I assure you, gentlemen, said  
Brown, if I hadn't seen it myself I  
shouldn't have believed it.

Has it been well, said one of the two  
doubtful ones, you must remember  
old man, that we didn't see it.  
In order to fulfil a promise to his  
dear friend, a San Diego, California  
man married his second wife recently,  
just twenty hours after the death of  
his first wife, and twelve hours before  
the funeral had occurred. A Justice  
of the Peace officiated. The funeral  
of the first wife was held the next  
afternoon. There were three small  
children by the first marriage and  
for their welfare, it is said, the  
late wife asked her husband to lose  
no time in filling her place.

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watch. We have a great variety  
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wrappers.  
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wrappers.  
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50c wrappers.  
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wrappers.  
Girl's nickel watches, 25c  
wrappers.  
Girl's Gun Metal watches,  
50c wrappers.  
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es, 10c wrappers.  
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QUALITY



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ed, gold lined,  
quadruple plate  
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It is given free  
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Wrappers and  
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## Postage Stamps Under Escort

A few years ago a small procession  
triumphantly escorted a sergeant car-  
rying two postage stamps. The  
story of the latter is interesting. The  
sergeant, belonging to the French  
contingent of the troops of occupation  
arrived in Crete with a young Greek  
wife, whom he had married while he  
was serving in a French colony. She  
brought him no dowry in money, but  
a handsome marriage portion all the  
same, consisting of two postage  
stamps. These are rare specimens of  
Mauritian issues, and have been  
estimated by experts at worth \$8000.  
The sergeant was told that their  
value would increase, and instead of  
selling them he had them framed and  
placed his treasure in a Cretan bank.  
As the time was approaching for the  
departure of the troops of occupation  
the sergeant went to the bank with his wife  
to withdraw his deposit, and his com-  
rades formed a procession to escort  
the couple carrying home their trea-  
sure in two postage stamps.

## All Provided

Mr. Walter George, "The Youth of  
the Strand," as George R. Sims once  
called him, attributed his perennial  
youthfulness to the fact that he once  
knew Henry J. Byron. He used to  
tell a good story of the ready wit of  
the irrepressible humorist.  
In company with Byron, he was pro-  
ceeding along the Strand, when an  
other member of the party drew their  
attention to the unusually pathetic  
figure of a sandwichman, whose face  
seemed to betoken a knowledge of be-  
fore day.  
Deplorable, isn't it? he said. Nine-  
pence a day.  
Yes, added Byron, quickly, and his  
board.

According to recent statistics, Ger-  
many is a nation of law-breakers. It  
appears that one person out of every  
twelve have been convicted for trans-  
gression of the law. One girl out  
of every 213, one boy out of forty-  
three, one man out of twenty-five,  
and one man out of six have come into  
conflict with the authorities over  
some detail or other of German law.

## The Last Extremity

Mr. James Parn, speaking of in-  
dividual interpretations of general rules,  
said in going to round off with  
the officer on guard at one of the En-  
glish dockyards he heard an amusing  
illustration by an Irish sentry of this  
point.  
If you see a convict escaping, said  
the officer, what do you do?  
Sure, sir, I'm not to fire till the last  
extremity.  
Quite right. But what do you con-  
sider the last extremity to be?  
Just round the corner of the dock-  
yard where the wire is reply.

## Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

**Good Idea.**  
He was a burly, old-fashioned skipper  
and had not yet become acquaint-  
ed with all the latest improvements  
on steamers. When he went on the  
bridge of his new steam collier the  
engine room telegraph was the first  
thing that caught his eye.

What's that for? he demanded.  
That goes down to the engine-room  
replied the mate, who was explaining  
things to him. You see all the or-  
ders in gold - Full speed, Half speed,  
Stop. Tell you have to do in just to  
move the handle and the ship's head.  
If I put the handle to Full, will you  
go full speed? asked the captain. And  
it turn it to stop, will it stop?  
Certainly, said the mate.

Ab, man, said the skipper, a slow  
glance lighting his face after a  
long silence, that's clever. It and  
away with all them engines.

Who suffer from corns when they  
can be painlessly rooted out by using  
"Lollows" Corn Cure.

The rector of a small village in Ire-  
land recently met one of his parish-  
ioners who was a farmer and a great  
dog lover, and who was also a  
lover of a glass of whiskey. As they walk-  
ed together while the rector, admir-  
ing some of the dogs he had with him  
said to the farmer:  
Did you ever hear that by giving a  
paw whiskey you kept him from  
going?  
Yes, replied the farmer, and I tried  
it.  
With what results?  
The pup died.  
My friend, said the rector, I  
wonder that was a good lesson for you?  
Indeed it was, sir, I have never  
wasted a drop of good whiskey on any  
of my dogs since.



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"ROYAL GEORGE" Dec. 11th  
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or steamship agent, or write  
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272 Main Street, .. Winnipeg

Miss Frances Barratt, the ten year  
old daughter of Mr. W. Barratt of  
Northampton, has just achieved an  
extraordinary distinction at a French  
school. She was the only English  
girl at the National School at Mancy  
and beat all the French girls at the  
own language, winning the first prize  
for French composition, besides first  
prize for geography and arithmetic, and  
second for writing.

Fraulein Brunnhilde, the German  
giantess who is now on visit to Lon-  
don, may be as is stated, the tallest  
girl in the world, but she is by no  
means the tallest who has been seen  
in the Metropolis. About thirty years  
ago a performance entitled "Hazel  
and Blod" drew enormous audiences to  
the old Alhambra. The chief attraction  
was the Amazon Queen, impersonated  
by a young German named Mar-  
ian, 8 ft. 2 in. in height, who made a  
great sensation as she strode on to  
the stage dressed in a gorgeous and  
covered costume. After the play had  
run its course she went back to Ger-  
many, where she died at the age of  
seventeen.

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With eyelids heavy and red,  
The fellow stands by his bureau  
drawing  
Scratching his swollen head.  
Bing! Bang! Biff!  
He goes at the drawer with a spurt,  
And sings with a voice which is far  
from sweet.  
The Song of the Buttonless Shirt.  
One, two, three!  
Out of the drawer they fly:  
Four, five, six!  
Not a button on one! his cry.  
He puts one over his head!  
And clutches it under his chin.  
And tries - with some words - to fast-  
en it on.  
With a measly safety-pin.  
Oh, mothers and sisters dear!  
Oh, mothers-in-law and wives!  
Is not the linen you're wearing out  
patience and human lives!  
Please try and get busy do:  
Give up building that hat or skirt,  
Just long enough to sew at least  
A button upon one shirt.

**Indignant**  
Jimmy, like all healthy boys, was  
fond of playing out doors, and, like  
boys in general, he usually got him-  
self scandalously dirty. He was  
about to sit down to dinner one day  
when his mother happened to notice  
the condition of his hands, and  
sent him to the kitchen to wash  
them.  
You incorrigible boy! she exclaim-  
ed, as soon as she saw the basin of  
water in which he had performed the  
required ablutions. How in the  
world do you manage to get your  
hands so dirty?  
That didn't all come from my hands!  
Indignantly answered Jimmy. I wash-  
ed my face in that water, too!

London, England, has about 9,000  
milk-shops and an almost similar  
number of public-houses.

Hamburg, the first city to perceive  
the danger of the modern long hat-  
pins, has provided its tram conduc-  
tors with boxes of hatpin-protectors.  
Ladies with ungarded hatpins may  
choose between choosing the conductor  
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more for this  
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he's satisfied**

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- Giving yourself to Jesus implies  
render to him.

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## Ratepayers

"Wised Up"

Heme Orators Give Free Show In  
The Mission Hall-Municipal  
Matters Unravelling

That interest in municipal affairs is increasing was evidenced by the turnout of ratepayers who assembled at the Mission Hall on Monday night to hear the year's report from the different committees and to discuss fully the time-tried fire hall question.

R. M. Brisco was elected chairman of the meeting, and secretary-treasurer Shern read the report of the receipts, expenditures, liabilities, etc., from the date of incorporation in 1911 to October 31st of the present year.

The chairmen of the different committees were called upon to report personally for their departments.

Councillor Dutil, as chairman of the Waterworks Committee, gave an outline briefly of the work that has been done in his department, how that the water service is now nearly completed and would be complete with all extensions by the early part of 1913, and that the monies spent in that connection were spent judiciously and well.

Thomas Ede asked at what rate the town debentures for the waterworks sold, and was informed that they had been taken up at 95 cents in the dollar.

Councillor Sinclair, chairman of the Works and Property Committee, reported on why and how the enormous sum of \$300 was expended by his department, part of which went towards the building of sidewalks and the balance towards digging down the minor elevations on the surface of Main street.

Councillor McLeod, chairman of the License and Police Committee reported on the good work being carried on by his department—how that the finances of the Town of Blairmore were greatly strengthened by the income of fines, forfeitures and licenses. He thought that the equipment of the department should not be augmented until they owned a place for safekeeping and storage.

Mr. Ede desired to know how much had been collected in theatre licenses, and when informed, thought that the proprietors of our two only houses of amusement had a bonanza all to themselves.

Councillor McLeod stated that the reason the income from the pound did not exceed the sum of \$1.00 was that the cattle impounded had made their escape through the cracks in walls, and that the only thin animal in the bunch which could be made return hurriedly through the same means of ac-

cess belonged to an official of the West Canadian Collieries and was sold next morning for the sum of one dollar.

When asked why he paid only \$10 license fee as against many others' \$20 for the carrying on of real estate business, Councillor McLeod stated that he took out a license at the beginning of the year for six months, at the end of which time a caveat was placed upon the town by the present mayor, which restricted him from peddling anything outside of his own personal property, and he did not think he was expected to buy a license to sell his own goods.

Mayor Lyon was called upon at this stage of the game, he having been belated because of some important business. Mr. Lyon began by explaining the meaning of the \$50 mentioned in the expenditures for railway crossings. It was not spent on the building of crossings, but for plans and profiles in connection with the proposed and agitated crossing over the railroad at Eighth Avenue. These plans and profiles were necessary to accompany the application of the town to the C. P. R. for such crossing. The desire of the applicants has not yet been accepted to, but they were informed it would be considered at a meeting of the Board of Railway Commissioners to be held at Lethbridge early in December. Mr. Lyon explained the great need of a crossing at this point and the convenience it would afford freemen in time of fire in the Pelletier addition. He referred to the waterworks system, the with Lake which caused a considerable tie-up at the opening stages of the construction, and at last the water system nearing completion, one which any town or city in the country might well feel proud of.

He thought that every property holder should be a subscriber, and that in order to encourage the materializing of such he proposed that a franchise tax be imposed on all lots, vacant or otherwise. The town at present had about 1600 feet of hose and several reels, which could cope very well with any emergency.

At the time the fire hall question was first introduced four offers of sites were made by Messrs. Krebs, Malcolm, McLaron and Peeble respectively. The Works and Property Committee brought in a recommendation at a meeting of the council last spring to the effect that the town buy the lots offered by Mr. Malcolm for the sum of \$1500. While waiting on the disposal of debentures, they received an offer from the West Canadian Collieries Co. of a free fire hall site on Victoria Street west and a business ground. The free hall site offered had a frontage of 75 feet on Victoria Street. At the same time a dump ground was offered by W. A. Beebe for \$2500 and later on from G. W. Beebe a piece of land for a similar purpose for the sum of \$1500. This latter offer the Mayor considered was made over a bogus signature claiming that Councillor McLeod was a half-owner and

tried to put the sale through to his own advantage. To purchase the Beebe and Malcolm properties, would involve the sum of \$2800, while he contended the free sites offered the town by the West Canadian Collieries were worth at the lowest estimate \$3500. He said that at the time the offer was made by the W. C. C. Co., he asked Councillor Sinclair to look over the free sites propositions and report at the next meeting of the council, but Mr. Sinclair did not as he felt it was not his duty to do so, the town having already entered a deal with Mr. Malcolm. The mayor thought that we lacked courtesy toward the W. C. C. Co., in not investigating or accepting the free offer. He objected to the Malcolm site because he considered the free site a better location, feeling that from that point firemen could make quicker response to an outbreak in any part of the town than was possible from Malcolm's site. He recalled the fact that at a meeting of the council some months ago Mr. Farmer brought in a resolution to the effect that the town purchase the Malcolm lots with a view to disposing of them advantageously, and also accept the lots offered free by the coal company, but such proposition did not pass. He felt that the town was not under obligation to Mr. Malcolm to purchase his lots. At one time he would have resigned, had the Council fore-agreed to do likewise, but they would not. He stated that he brought proof before a meeting of the council that the Malcolm lots were registered in the name of Frayer & Sinclair and he felt that Mr. Sinclair was not working in the interest of the town in trying to make sale of the Malcolm property.

A public meeting was called in the Budd hall last spring to get the feeling of the ratepayers toward the fire hall site. A vote resulted in 22 in favor of the free site and 2 against. When the petition was presented to the councillors at a regular meeting, the latter with exception of Councillor Farmer and himself, refused to accept or stand by it. He (Lyon) refused to sign a cheque for payment for the Malcolm property, whereupon Councillor Sinclair suggested that an investigation should be made as to why the mayor should do as he pleased, regardless of the wish of the majority of the councillors. Later the town was made aware that proceedings had been instituted against the town by Malcolm.

A by-law was introduced at a recent meeting authorizing the purchase of the Malcolm lots. He allowed the first and second readings of this by-law, but would not permit the third reading. Later a petition alleged to have been signed by 60 per cent. of the ratepayers of the town, but which one of the councillors stated was signed by one dead man (probably deceased), and also by a man who at the time was either a disinterested party or was serving a holiday in the Edmonton penitentiary, was presented before a regular council meeting. This petition was very finely handled and the secretary was asked to bring it in a seal place for a while.

The mayor stated that he agreed by affidavit to personally meet the costs of the case of the Town vs. Malcolm if he lost, and the town was a half-owner and

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as soon as he broke down in the 8) He stated that he had a very applicable name.

L. H. Futum asked the mayor if it was true that he had one time offered a 12 x 15 room to the council as a chamber at a rent rate of \$20 per month, to be against the offer of W. A. Beebe of the apartments at present occupied by the town fathers at the same rate, only that the present offer has a floor space of 15x54 feet.

Mr. Lyon stated that such offer was made and that the initial "L." at the bottom of the document was his signature.

Councillor Sinclair explained why the deed for the Malcolm property was in his possession, it being that Malcolm had no particular means of keeping it and asked Messrs. Frayer & Sinclair to place it in their safe for him. He requested the council when asked to look over the free sites to inform the W. C. C. Co. that arrangements for a fire hall site had already been made. He did not intend to resign or back down to a referendum, or would not.

Councillor McLeod said he would not stand behind the pulpit and tell as many lies as the Mayor did. Mr. McLeod stood at one side. He stated that when the fire hall

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